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The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

from: November 15, 2003
Date

until: January 15, 2004
Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

☐ is enclosed.

☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is **\$210** and is to be paid as follows:

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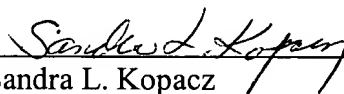
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